

# WEATHER

Sunny with pleasant temperatures today. Highest 78 to 83. Clear and cool tonight with lows of 60 to 65. Tomorrow continued sunny with slightly warmer afternoon temperatures.

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## River Goes Down



Two Morrisville youngsters, standing in the middle of the Delaware River at the Calhoun St. Bridge between Morrisville and Trenton, are barely in

water up to their knees as the river shrinks to less than a half of a foot in depth. The boys are Zane Matracky, left, and George Bowen.

(Courier-Times Photo)

## Senate Debates Jury Trial Issue

WASHINGTON (UP) — Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon B.

### Good Evening!

(S.O. Batting for GG)

More tax seizures.

This time it's the laggards in Upper Bucks who are getting the works. More power to the Internal Revenue Service.

That current British action in Muscat and Oman sounds like a page from a French Foreign Legion book. It has the sand, weird names, white-gowned arabs and everything else.

All it needs is a pretty girl, smack in the middle of the desert, with every curl in place.

South wins first round on Civil Rights. Plenty of fight still ahead, though.

Mill Creek widening between Edgely and Green Lane thoroughly needed. The sooner the work starts, on this project the safer everyone, motorists and pedestrians, will be.

Air-conditioned outside making up for the pleasant May and June we never had. All the picture needs to be complete is some real wet rain.

The barbecue has come into its own. Every man worth his salt is in the backyard burning the steak. If it wasn't for the salad and french fries made in the kitchen, where would the meal be.

Jack Sanford did such a nice job last night it made everyone who carries the same name very happy. Now if Robin Roberts can only throw a good one.

Speaking of Sanford, who else is a better choice for NL Rookie-of-the-Year. Last night's gem was his 13th win. And he's whiffed 124 this season.

If money gets any tighter, it will soon be almost as hard to get into debt as to get out of it.

Architects cover their mistakes with ivy, doctors with sod, and brides with mayonnaise.

Stay cool.

## Grave Area Drought Now In 90th Day

The drought is 90 days old today.

It was Friday, April 26, that the last appreciable fall of rain was recorded in Bucks County. Since then, Bucks County farmers and home owners have been subjected to the worst drought in the recent history of this area.

Just how much damage the drought has caused has not been estimated, but the yield of some farm crops has been reduced from 20 to 50 per cent.

Lawns and shrubbery have been taking a licking and communities such as Morrisville, Bristol and Upper Southampton have been battling water shortage emergencies.

So far, there has been no indication of when or if relief will come.

### One Of The Worst

The drought, one of the worst to hit the eastern United States since 1900, is burning up fruit, vegetable and tobacco crops from Maine to Virginia, lowering water reserves to below-normal levels, and searing woodlands tinder dry.

Unless soaking rains end the three-month dry spell that has brought 11 eastern states to the brink of agricultural disaster, losses to farmers, florists and home gardeners may reach the \$0 to 75 million dollar mark by the end of the month. Crops now being harvested are 40-50 per cent below normal and market prices are resultingly higher.

The next four days may spell relief or disaster for the area, but the U.S. Weather Bureau is holding out no hope of relief. The

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## No-Haircut Airman Freed From Prison

### Vows He'd Still Disobey Command

TOKYO (UP)—The Air Force freed Donald Wheeler from prison today and the defiant young airman said he would risk another prison sentence rather than give in to orders to get a white side-wall haircut.

Col. Charles W. Johnstone, commander of the 6000th Support Wing at the U.S. Fuchu Air Base, ordered Wheeler released from jail because of "errors" and "irregularities" in his all-officer court-martial.

Wheeler was convicted Monday of disobeying orders and was sentenced to four months imprisonment at hard labor, fined \$200 and reduced in rank. The jail doors opened for him today and he was rushed to Tokyo to complete the formalities of freedom.

"I am very happy it is all over with and very happy to get through with it," he told newsmen in Tokyo. Then he said he didn't believe he would ever get a haircut order again.

"I would refuse to get a white side-wall haircut if I was ordered again to get one," he said.

He said he would challenge the order because he believes now as he believed then that it is an "illegal" order.

Johnstone called in newspaper men at Fuchu and read the following statement which restored Wheeler his freedom:

"I have reviewed the court-martial case of Airman Donald Wheeler and have found certain cumulative errors and procedural irregularities in the trial. For these reasons, I have this date disapproved the findings and sentence of the court."

Johnstone said that normally under such circumstances a new trial would be ordered. But he said he had talked with the young airman and "I am convinced that

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Lt. William Shortt was Wheeler's commanding officer and gave the now famous "cut short" order.



Airman Donald Wheeler runs his hands through his now famous hair as he answers questions after his release from prison.

United Press Telephoto

## Britain Rushing Forces To Crush Mid-East Revolt

LONDON (UP)—Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd announced today Britain is sending "necessary forces" into the Middle East to help crush a revolt against the British-supported Sultan of Muscat and Oman.

Lloyd told Parliament that Brit-

ish warplanes already have attacked "military targets" in the area held by rebels in the Persian Gulf sultanate.

"These are limited operations," he said. "The necessary forces are being placed at the disposal of the local military commanders as they are required."

Lloyd said Britain is acting out of friendship for the sultan, who is battling "holy warriors" led by the Imam of Oman, rather than in fulfillment of any special guarantee.

"There is no specific treaty ob-

ligation that Britain should interfere in the internal affairs of Oman," he said.

"On the other hand, we have quoted more than one precedent where the (British) government have in the past acted at the invitation of a friendly ruler to help him preserve law and order in his domain."

"That is what we are doing now."

He described Sultan Said Bin Taimur as "a firm friend of Britain... whose sovereignty is acknowledged."

## Two Suspects Checked Off

HOBBS, N.M. (UP)—Authorities checked off the two latest suspects in New Mexico's triple slaying as "false leads" today as the three victims of the ruthless killer were put in their graves.

Sheriff Jewel McAdoo said Jack Smith, 48, a former California mental patient, has been eliminated as a suspect in the Tuesday slayings.

Authorities at Clayton, N.M., said a second suspect, Donald Rait Jr., 29, Pittsburgh, Pa., also has been eliminated as a suspect.

Smith was picked up in Carlsbad yesterday for questioning about the deaths of truck driver J. D. Cantrell and two Hobbs divorcees, Dorothy Gibson and Barbara Lemmons, both 23.

The sheriff said Smith admitted and then denied he killed the two Hobbs women, but added there was no evidence to link him with the crime. He was jailed here for vagrancy.

Rait told authorities a confused tale that aroused suspicions about his whereabouts the day of the slaying.

The two women were buried here following joint funeral services today while Cantrell was buried at Artesia.

## John P. Gallagher Dies After Long Illness

John P. Gallagher, 701 Pine St., Bristol, father of Bristol Township commissioner John Gallagher, a former president of Borough Council, died Tuesday after a long illness.

Surviving are: daughters, Mrs. James McCormick, Clifton Heights, Mrs. Alice Devitt, and Heights, Mrs. Alice Devitt, and Mrs. John B. Reed, Mattapoisett,

## British Jets Hit Persian Fortress

SHARJA, Trucial Oman (UP)—Royal Air Force jets struck with rockets and cannonfire today at the deserted rebel fortress at Nizwa, nerve center of the tribal rebellion in this Persian Gulf sultanate.

Other RAF planes from Bahrain and Aden blasted rebel concentrations in the mountainous hinterland in the second day of air strikes against rebel forces seeking to overthrow the pro-British sultan of Muscat and Oman.

The planes were called in at request of the sultan.

The RAF planes warned the rebels in advance by dropping leaflets on today's targets and the rebels themselves took to the hills.

The attacks on the fort were more a display of force to frighten the rebels than anything else, and the emphasis was on the town of Nizwa, the core of rebel-held territory from which desert tribesmen supporters of the Imam of Oman threaten the rule of the sultan.

## Court Orders Review Of Motel Sign OK

President Judge Edward G. Biester this week ordered Bristol Township Zoning Board of Adjustment to review its approval for a huge sign to erected by Bristol Motel, Inc.

The judge also ordered the board to submit its records in the case to the court.

The action followed an appeal of Bristol Township commissioners, who opposed the approval of the sign "because it may lead to 15 or 20 more huge signs in the township."

The appeal also stated that the motel, on Route 13, did not establish a "hardship," necessary under the township zoning code.

The sign measures 964 square feet, and the limit under the code is 100 square feet.

## Upper Bucks, Lehigh Areas Are Targets

The Internal Revenue Service is continuing a sweep of delinquent taxpayers with seizure of over 50 properties in Upper Bucks and Lehigh Counties today, two weeks to the day after a similar move in the Bristol-Levittown area.

Two weeks ago today, the four-man Bristol staff and 15 other agents made seizures on over 20 businesses and automobiles. This netted over \$40,000 in taxes owed the government.

At least one Lower Bucks seizure is still in abeyance. Thomas Breslin and Peter Cocci, owners of Breslin Inn, Route 13, Bristol, owe \$18,817 in excise tax. The Philadelphia office is reviewing the case, with a decision expected shortly.

Over \$300,000

Raymond E. Coyne, specialist agent working out of the Allentown office, said the seizures today would bring the amount collected in the last three months well over the \$300,000 mark.

Top officials in the Internal Revenue Service said the seizures two weeks ago had also brought a great response from other tax debtors to offices in the Philadelphia and Allentown districts. Bristol's office is in the Allentown district.

## Wild Chase Nabs Escapee

BORDENTOWN, N.J. (UP)—An 18-year-old youth who escaped from a Camden jail Tuesday was captured here last night following a 100-mile an hour stolen car chase.

William Brothers, 18, of Westminster St., Camden, was captured by two Bordentown policemen who fired several warning shots in the air when the youth fled into a nearby yard after jumping from the auto at an intersection.

Florence Township police spotted the stolen car on Route 130 near Roebling and gave chase but were unable to catch up with the speeding auto. They, then radioed ahead to Bordentown for help.

Brothers was turned over to Camden police and returned to the county jail. The suspect, who was being held on charges of auto theft, broke away from two policemen as he was being transferred to a cell on another floor Tuesday.

### Inside Today

#### Male Meals

When it comes to outdoor cooking, the men in Lower Bucks County do more than sit at the table waiting for the meal. Some give their favorite recipes today, summarized by Courier-Times society writer Jane Gray. Page 10

#### Children's Delight

In the Goldenbridge section of Levittown, "The Library Lady" and her husband have a corner on the affections of children in their neighborhood. Page 7

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# Chamber Backs 'Left-Turn' Lane Proposal For Route 13

LPR Community Dances



Teenagers are running their own dances these days under the sponsorship of the Levittown Public Recreation Association. The Community Program Committee has worked out a plan with them whereby the boys and girls select and change the records,

maintain order and "run their own show." Committee members and parents, serving as chaperones, merely watch quietly from the sidelines.

Courier-Times Photo

## Sgt. Esterline Sends Plans To State

The Greater Lower Bucks Chamber of Commerce has joined with the police committee of Bristol Borough Council in urging the addition of "left-turn" lanes at the Route 13 intersections to combine safety with the fast flow of traffic.

Sgt. Herman Esterline, head of the traffic detail of borough police, sent the State Highway Department a sketch of the plan he drew for the police committee, using Chamber recommendations. The officer said state officials told him it is too late to apply the plan to the new Bath Road project. But the State is keeping the plan on file to use in future work, Sgt. Esterline was told.

The Chamber would have the left turn lane, a fifth lane, added at each of the eight intersections on Route 413 from Levittown to Bristol. They are Route 413, Bath Road, Second Avenue (with traffic lights), Beaver Street, Green Lane, Edgely Avenue, Haines Road and Levittown Parkway.

The new lane would be created in the center of Route 13 at the crossroads, enlarging the highway so there would be two lanes on each side of it. The east and westbound left turn lanes would face each other. Similar turn lanes now exist at the Tyburn Road intersections with U. S. Route 1, Trenton Road and Newportville - Fallsington Road in Fallsington.

Four corner islands would be provided to allow continuous right turns.

The plan is the result of an exchange of ideas after separate meetings and surveys by the borough police committee and the traffic and highway safety committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Councilman William McHugh heads the police committee. Samuel J. Farruggio is chairman of the Chamber traffic committee.

The chamber survey, by W. W. DeWitt, vice chairman of Mr. Farruggio's committee and traffic manager of Rohm and Haas Co., urged that breaks in the island be closed, allowing no left turns except at intersections. The police committee said closing the breaks would "create" undue hardships on residents and businesses (in Bristol) due to the distance they must travel between Bath St. and Beaver St. before being allowed to make a left turn.

Sgt. Esterline altered the Chamber sketch plan for the Bath Road intersection by "rounding off" the four corners, for non-stop right turns, and placing the traffic lights on corner islands. In his letter to the police committee, Sgt. Esterline expressed his thanks to the Chamber "for your interest in our accident problems. If enough ideas are submitted from civic minded organizations and are studied, answers to all traffic situations can be found," he said.

### LAW ABIDERS

Karakelic, Turkey, is the world's most law-abiding community. Not one of its inhabitants ever has been arrested or brought into court in 99 years. Karakelic has an approximate population of 450.

## Kindergarten Tuition Plan To Be Offered

Tuition kindergarten for 15 children living outside Tullytown will be offered this fall at the Walt Disney elementary school, Supervisor John S. Linscott Jr., announced today.

The tuition plan was arranged by the Tullytown school board to make enough enrollment to add a third kindergarten session. A second kindergarten teacher will be hired by the board. Set by the state, the tuition will be \$25 monthly, payable in advance. The tuition kindergarteners will attend a morning session. Children who will be five years old on or before next Jan. 31 are eligible. Mr. Linscott urged interested parents to contact his office at once.

The additional kindergarten and a second fifth grade will put all 12 classrooms in operation at the Disney school this fall for the first time. Mrs. Edna Bertram, a fifth grade teacher, is returning to the school from a year's sabbatical leave. She traveled to Mexico and South America.

## Early End Predicted In Cement Strike

BATH, Pa. (UP)—Robert W. Donahoe, regional director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, today predicted an early settlement of the crippling cement workers strike in the area if negotiations continue to progress favorably.

Donahoe said that much progress has been made in talks with the Keystone-Portland Cement Co., and members of the United Cement, Lime, and Gypsum Workers Union (AFL-CIO). He added that negotiations were also favorable between the union and the Alpha Portland Co. plant in Easton, Pa.

## Seeing Levittown

By LEE GARB



The Levittown Emergency Squad, which will be kicking off the annual fund drive on August 5, needs help with its solicitation. It includes the "Miss Levittown" contest, the giant Pot Parade for the kids and information booths by the various organizations and clubs...centers around the mall adjacent to the Administration Building in the Shopping Center.

A representative of one of the mortgage companies holding Levittown mortgages will meet with residents of Bristol Township, Levittown, to discuss the way in which the payments have jumped to as much as \$8 per month as a result of the recent tax hike.

The meeting will be held Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the cafeteria of St. Michael's school on the Parkway...It has been announced that anyone interested may attend regardless of the section of Levittown in which their home is located.

Just for the record: According to the deed restrictions, no resident of Levittown is allowed to drill for oil on his property. We've heard that Levittown's yearly summer festival will be held this year on Labor Day weekend...the big community get-together, (for the benefit of

## 2 Await Trial In Theft Case

Two men were committed to Bucks County Prison yesterday afternoon to await trial on a charge of stealing a speaker from Roosevelt Drive-In, Route 1, Middletown.

A 15-year-old boy was also committed to the County Juvenile Detention home to await juvenile court action. Joseph Solarsky, 19, of Bunting Ave., Trenton, and Ronald Francia, 20, of Lavelle, Pa., were committed to prison following a hearing before Justice of the Peace Frederick A. Holly, Sr.

They could not raise \$1,000 bail each on a larceny charge. The three and five other juveniles were arrested at the theater earlier yesterday morning, and a speaker was found in their car. Later, the 15-year-old admitted the actual theft, and he, Solarsky and Francia were held for the hearing.

## Court Orders

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ruled that a hardship did exist, because the motel was hidden from eastbound traffic on the Pennsylvania Turnpike, and a large sign was necessary to attract motorists.

One commissioner, Joseph Gallagher, protested approval of the sign on the basis that the zoning board had not approved a similar sign for Howard Johnson Motel. The zoning board replied that the Howard Johnson Motel, at Willow Grove, had 17 miles along the turnpike in which to place a sign, and no hardship would be caused by the local board's refusal to permit a sign in the township.

## Civil Rights

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were out playing golf when the Senate acted.

Eighteen Republicans joined 34 Democrats in voting for the bipartisan amendment to strike the section. Twenty-five Republicans and 13 Democrats voted against the amendment, offered by Sens. George D. Aiken (R-Vt.) and Clinton P. Anderson (D-N.M.).

This left the bill, which has been approved by the House, with three main provisions. They would (1) create a bipartisan commission on civil rights, (2) provide for a new assistant attorney general for civil rights (3) authorize the attorney general to seek injunctions or other civil court action to halt violations or threatened violations of Negro voting rights.

## Sites Announced For Teen Dances

The LPR's Community Program Committee today announced a schedule of teen dances, starting this Saturday evening and continuing through August. The schedule is as follows:

Saturday, July 27 — Country Club Park  
Friday, Aug. 2 — Magnolia Park  
Saturday, Aug. 10 — Indian Creek Park  
Friday, Aug. 16 — Country Club Park  
Saturday, Aug. 24 — Magnolia Park.

"Dress Up" Committee chairman Sid Charles and assistant Robert Mueller emphasized that the dances are strictly "dress up," and that any youngsters appearing in dungarees, shorts or T-shirts will be sent home to change.

The committee has worked out a plan with some teen leaders whereby the young people run the dances themselves. Under this system, the committee members and parents serving as chaperones merely maintain a watchful eye from the sidelines. The young people select and

## Dr. Sam's Attorney To Question 'Confessor'

DELAND, Pa. (UP)—A young convict who stirred a controversy by his "confession" to the Shepard murder today awaited the arrival of a defense attorney for a third round of questioning.

Donald Joseph Wedler, 23, declared truthful by a polygraph expert and repudiated by official investigators, remained the last visible hope of freeing Dr. Samuel Sheppard of a wife-murder conviction.

William J. Corrigan, who defended Dr. Sam in the trial which resulted in his conviction and life sentence, Wednesday set out by auto to visit in Deland the young man who wants to stand in Sheppard's shoes.

His expected arrival time was not announced.

## Railroads Ask Federal Help On Equipment

WASHINGTON (UP)—Eastern railroads have asked the government today to help them modernize and expand by buying new railway equipment and then leasing it to them.

James M. Symes, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, put the plan before the House Commerce Committee yesterday after discussing it at a news conference. He acted as spokesman for 34 Eastern rail companies.

Symes said railroads simply cannot raise the money for all the new passenger and freight cars and locomotives they need.

## Turnpike Conspiracy Trial Nears Climax

HARRISBURG (UP)—The long Pennsylvania Turnpike conspiracy trial nears its climax today, with Dauphin County court promising the jury it will receive the case about noon.

Judge Homer L. Kreider instructed the panel of seven men and five women to "find a verdict without fear or favor, without sympathy or prejudice."

## Players Pick Productions For Season

The coming season's productions for the Levittown Players were announced by Don Ringkamp, technical director and chairman of the script committee. They are: "The Fifth Season," Oct. 9 to 12; "The Distaff Side," Dec. 4 to 7; "Come Back Little Sheba," Feb. 26 to March 1; and "Oh Men, Oh Women!" to be presented from April 30 to May 3.

The announcement was made during a short business meeting held prior to the celebration of the Players' fifth birthday at the Levittown Fire House 1 Saturday night.

In addition to the major production schedule, the following committee chairmen were announced by Bob Buxton, recently elected president.

Committee heads are: June Topliffe, Ticket Sales; Ruth Bott, Make-up; Millie Otto, Props and costumes; Marion Hopkins, Social chairman; Joe Byers, set construction; Virginia Dick, set designs; and Alison Yates in charge of publicity.

## Drought

(Continued from Page One) bureau is predicting little or no rainfall for the week end and no appreciable precipitation in the foreseeable future.

Rainfall has been about 60 per cent below normal in the Middle Atlantic and New England States since May 1. States affected by the drought are Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware and Virginia. Only Vermont and sections of upstate New York have had sufficient rainfall.

## Death Notices

GALLAGHER — July 23, 1957, John P., of 701 Pine St., Bristol, Pa., died after a lengthy illness. Survived by 3 daughters and 2 sons. Mrs. J. McCormick, Clinton Heights, Pa.; Mrs. Alice Devitt, Bristol; John B. Reed, of Mattapessett, Mass.; and William Gallagher, California. John Gallagher, of Levittown, Pa., relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral, Saturday at 9 a.m. from Murphy's Funeral Home, 1002 Radcliffe St., Bristol, Requiem Mass 10 a.m. St. Mark's Church, Interment St. Mark's Cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening 7 to 9.

KLEINFELDER — suddenly in Waretown, N. J., July 23, 1957, John Kleinfelder, Sr., husband of the late Anna Kleinfelder (nee Metzger) of 415 W. Bridge St., Morrisville, Pa., age 72 years. Survivors include 1 daughter, Mrs. Carl Pahlmann, 1 son, John (Hans) Kleinfelder, 4 grandchildren. Relatives and friends of the family also members of the Union Fire Co. No. 1 of Morrisville are invited to attend the funeral from the J. Allen Hopper Funeral Chapel, 45 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville, Pa., on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated at the Holy Trinity R. C. Church of Morrisville at 9:30 o'clock. Int. at Holy Trinity Cemetery, Yardley, Pa. Friends may call at the chapel Sunday evening 7 to 9.

VEISZ — entered into rest in the McKinley Hospital, July 24, 1957, James W., husband of Elizabeth Veisz, of 21 E. 11th Ave., Yardley, Pa., age 50 years. Survivors besides his wife include his father, Michael, 6 sisters, Mrs. Robert J. Dietrich, Mrs. George F. Kane, Mrs. Michael Sciolli, Mrs. Wm. Woodward, Mrs. Helen Blockson, Mrs. George Giano, 4 brothers, Michael, Joseph, William, and John Veisz. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the J. Allen Hopper Funeral Chapel, 45 North Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville, Pa., on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated at the Holy Trinity R. C. Church of Morrisville at 9:30 o'clock. Int. at Holy Trinity Cemetery, Yardley, Pa. Friends may call at the chapel on Friday evening 7 to 9.



Teenagers of the Middletown Township section of Levittown show an interest in the mechanics of movie projection at the Samuel Everitt School recreation program prior to a showing

of William Bendix in "Kill the Umpire." Above, from left: Charles Podlesny, Gene Zazzara, Jo Ann Kurtz and Joe Corrigan.

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Second Front Page

## Yardley Man Named Drive Unit Captain

Clayton W. Mills of Cold Spring Bleachery in Yardley has been named a volunteer captain in the Industrial Division of the Bucks County United Community Fund drive. The announcement was made today by Section Chairman Robert E. Anderson Sr., of the Robertson Manufacturing Company of Morrisville.

Mr. Mills will direct the solicitation of employee and corporate gifts in Industrial and Commercial firms in the Yardley area. The Cold Spring Bleachery where Mills is a key executive already holds a record for "above average" giving to the United Campaign. The plant perennially produces one of the highest "per capita" levels of corporate and employee giving for all of New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

### Volunteer Leader

A volunteer leader in the Lower Bucks County Chapter of American Red Cross, the Pennsylvania Little League and the Child Development Center, Mr. Mills also serves the Lions Club, Engineers Club, the National Association of Cost Accountants, the society for the Advancement of Management and the Textile Technologists Association. He is a member of the Yardley Businessmen's Association, the Lower Bucks Chamber of Commerce, Trenton Chamber of Commerce and the Small Businesses Association of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills reside on Ovington Road in Morrisville with their daughter, Elizabeth. The yardstick of "fair share giving" established for industrial firm employees in this year's Red Feather campaign is "a day's



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pay - on the job - for all Red Feather Services." The Fall campaign will include the appeals of seventeen formerly separate organizations, including the Lower Bucks County Chapter of American Red Cross.

## Births

### LOWER BUCKS HOSPITAL

July 23  
Mr. and Mrs. Weikel, 6 Norman Ave., Levittown, boy.  
Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald, 1702 Woodbine Ave., Eddington, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. James Homsher, 19 Alder Lane, Levittown, girl.  
Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Clark, 308 W. Maple Ave., Langhorne, girl.

July 24  
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Price, 218 W. Richardson Ave., Langhorne, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Kelly, 51 Cherry Lane, Levittown, boy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gelman, 92 Quaker Hill Road, Levittown, girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Devlin, 43 Oval Turn Lane, Levittown, boy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baginsky, 51 Rose Arbor Lane, Levittown, girl.

## Airman

(Continued from Page One) he has undergone a considerable change of attitude.

"In view of this," Johnstone said, "I do not consider that further trial would serve the cause of justice, the interest of the Air Force or the individual. I have therefore ordered Airman Wheeler released from confinement and returned to duty."

## Misuse of Authority Charged By Bricker

Dr. Glenn W. Bricker, 153 Snowball Drive, yesterday filed slander, misuse of authority and conduct unbecoming an officer charges against the state police commander of Plymouth Meeting Barracks.

The physician, in affidavits, a letter and telegram to Col. Earl J. Henry, state police commissioner in Harrisburg, charged that Lt. Walter Price slandered his wife and instructed his men not to use him as their personal physician. Dr. Bricker said the alleged actions occurred late in November or early December and that he has received no satisfaction from Price's superiors.

Lt. Price, in Harrisburg this morning, said, "I have no comment at this time" on the doctor's charges.

## Friendly Levittown Grandfather Dies

John William Chamerlain, 73, of 1 Yellowwood Drive, Levittown, died this morning at the Kensington Hospital, Philadelphia.

Mr. Chamerlain was well known to residents of the Yellowwood section. He was living at the home of his son, John William Jr., and made it his practice to wave to passing motorists. He was usually tending the lawn when cars passed by.

Formerly of Philadelphia, Mr. Chamerlain had lived here with his son for four years. He is survived by his widow, Elizabeth M., and seven children including, John William Jr., and Albert, both of Levittown.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

## Skelton, Wife Patch Up Tiff, Continue Trip

BARCELONA, Spain (UP)—Comedian Red Skelton and his wife patched up their quarrel today and decided to continue their European trip for their leukemia-stricken son, Richard.

Richard himself was in good condition. He spent 48 hours in bed in Rome after a stomach upset but Rome blood specialist Angelo de Guglielmo told the Skeltons it had nothing to do with leukemia and that Richard's blood was "practically normal."

Skelton left Rome in a huff with his family last night. They were bound for New York but today he changed his mind.

He said he, his wife, their daughter, Valentina, 11, and Richard, nine, would fly to Paris Friday night after a quick sightseeing trip through this part of Spain.

He said they would go from Paris to London, Scotland, the Scandinavian countries and possibly the Middle East.

Skelton brought his son to Europe for part of a round-the-world trip after doctors in Los Angeles said the boy was doomed by leukemia. Highlight of the tour was a 30-minute audience with Pope Pius XII.

Skelton took Richard to a bull fight today. Before leaving he told newsmen he had no plans to see a Spanish leukemia expert, Dr. Francisco Mas Nagro.

"I do not know the doctor, and I have no intention of visiting him," Skelton said.

## Man Killed On Freeway

TRENTON, N.J. (UP)—Arthur D. Fritz, of 1961a Short St., Edwarsville, Pa., was killed early today when he was struck by a tractor-trailer as he walked with his back to traffic in the middle of a four-lane freeway here.

The truck driver, Richard Lapham, 32, of Lancaster, Pa., told police his truck jack-knifed as he swerved in an attempt to avoid striking Fritz.

Lapham was arraigned later on a technical charge of death by auto.

Police said they were attempting to determine why Fritz, who was pronounced dead on arrival at McKinley Hospital here, happened to be on the Freeway at the time.

## News Tip Call May Mean \$5.00

If you've got a keen sense for news, it could mean extra bucks for you. Whatever the news tip might be, just phone the News Tip Editor, Courier and Times, Windsor 5-1000 or Stillwell 8-3225. For the best tip of the week, the Courier and Times will pay \$5.00.



# Morrisville • Yardley • Makefield

## Urgent Call For Volunteers Issued By Emergency Unit



Officers of the Lower Makefield Emergency Unit are shown with a demonstration ambulance of the type they hope to purchase to start an ambulance corps for Makefield and Yardley. Officers are (from left)

Charles A. Lee, chief; Mrs. Charles A. Lee, first aid corps; Mrs. James Dillon, president ladies auxiliary; and James Dillon, assistant chief. (Courier-Times Photo)

## 15 More Are Still Needed By Group

The Lower Makefield Emergency Unit has issued an urgent call for about 15 more volunteers—especially day time ambulance men.

Charles Lee, chief of the unit, said 10 new members signed up for the organization but about 15 more are still needed.

### Special Meeting

A special meeting of the ambulance squad is listed for Monday at the Lower Makefield Municipal Building at 8 p.m.

Interested persons are asked to attend that meeting, Mr. Lee said, or phone him for further information at HY 3-3466.

Officers of the unit include Mr. Lee, Mrs. Charles Lee, first aid corps; James Dillon, assistant chief and Mrs. James Dillon, president of the ladies auxiliary.

### May Buy Ambulance

The unit is considering purchase of an ambulance to be used as part of emergency unit equipment in Yardley and Lower Makefield. A fund drive for the purpose of raising money for the ambulance may be started at a later date.

## Police Nip Burglary Try

Two Yardley officers were credited today with nipping a burglary before it could get started early this morning.

Special officers Joseph McCarthy and James Boss were on night patrol in Yardley about 12:50 a.m.

They came upon two juveniles, one from Yardley and one from Morrisville, attempting to break the lock on the Cadwallader Pioneer Market on Afton and Main St.

The officers arrested the two boys, one 17 and one 15, before they could actually break into the store.

Officer Lee Carroll, acting borough chief while Chief Frank Morgan is on vacation, said the two boys will be turned over to juvenile authorities.

## 10th A-Bomb Rocks Nevada

ATOP ANGELS' PEAK, Nev. (UP)—The Atomic Energy Commission touched off the 10th nuclear explosion of its 1957 summer test series at 6:30 a.m. p.d.t., today from a captive balloon anchored 500 feet above the Nevada Proving Grounds.

The blast was so bright it made the morning sun appear to dim by comparison. Its fireball lasted for approximately 10 seconds and the familiar mushroom pattern following the blast rose quickly.

Some 15 seconds after the blast the mushroom's top became obscured at about 20,000 feet by a driving cloud.

The mushroom rose above the cloud within two minutes and still was rising at the 30,000 foot level.

## PAL Governors To Meet Tonight

The board of governors of Bristol Township Police Athletic League will meet at 8 p.m. today at Laurel Bend school.

The board will discuss fundraising programs for the PAL.

FOUR WIVES FOR MIKE. CHICAGO (UP)—Little Mike, an 18-month-old chimpanzee at Brookfield Zoo, had been lonely until he got four new playmates—all girl chimps. Now there are five chimpanzees but only four chimp houses. His bachelor days are over.

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## Swimming Pool Guests



C. J. Ossman, second assistant foreman, Union Fire Company (left) and Roland Giron (center) chief of Capitol View Fire Company are welcomed by Alex McDonald, pool director, at the

Morrisville Community Pool. Firemen and members of the auxiliary were guests of the pool last night. (Courier-Times Photo)

## Over 400 Expected In Fish Contest

A field of over 400 boys is expected to launch the annual fishing contest sponsored by the Yardley-Makefield Optimist Club Saturday with a splash in the Delaware Canal.

Boys and girls from 6 to 15 will participate in the fishing contest starting at 10 a.m. and ending at 1 p.m.

### Must Register

Will Johnson, publicity chairman of the club, said all contestants must be registered before the start of the contest.

Seward Carter, chairman of the contest, said that members of the Yardley-Makefield Optimist Club, will be on the south side of Afton Ave. next to the Canal early Saturday morning to handle registration.

Joe Malloy, Lewis Babbitt, and Jim Fitzcharles will act as judges for the contest.

### Bring Own Bait

Contestants must bring their own bait and tackle. Children under 11 must be accompanied by an adult but in order to qualify for prizes, each child must hook and land his own fish.

The Yardley - Makefield Optimist Club will serve refreshments to the children during the three hour contest.

Assisting in this committee will be Bill VanSkyle, Levis Speakman, and Andy Keefe.

The fishing contest is the second event held by the Yardley - Makefield Optimist Club during July for youngsters of the community. The club plans to enlarge its activities this fall to further aid and develop the youth of the area.

## Morrisville Man Dies

John Kleinfelder Sr., father of noted Morrisville athlete, John (Hunsy) Kleinfelder, died today in Waretown, N.J. He was 72.

Mr. Kleinfelder, husband of the late Anna Kleinfelder (nee Metzger) who died June 21, lived at 415 West Bridge St., Morrisville.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Carl Pahlmann, one son, John (Hunsy) and four grandchildren.

Relatives and friends of the family and members of the Union Fire Company of Morrisville are invited to attend the funeral from the J. Allen Hooper Funeral Chapel, 45 North Pennsylvania Ave., Monday at 8:30 a.m.

Solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated at the Holy Trinity R. C. Church of Morrisville at 9:30 a.m.

Interment at Holy Trinity Cemetery, Yardley. Friends may call at the chapel Sunday night from 7 to 9 p.m.

WASHINGTON (UP)—George Magoffin Humphrey will hang up his homberg next Monday as Treasury secretary.

Behind him he leaves the prospect of a third straight balanced budget—the first time this three-in-a-row feat has been accomplished since the great depression of the 1930's.

During his regime the national debt was reduced by two billion dollars to 272 billion dollars.

He also leaves some hot controversies over his policies—notably the celebrated "tight money" situation and the high interest rate the government has been paying lately on its own securities.

Ahead of the Cleveland industrialist is another tour of duty in big business, this time as board chairman of National Steel Corp., Pittsburgh.

The White House announced that Humphrey will depart next Monday. His resignation was announced in May. His successor, former Deputy Defense Director Robert B. Anderson, will be sworn in the same day at 11 a.m. e.d.t. in President Eisenhower's office.

The session is listed for 8 p.m. in Fallsington.

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## Garden-Type Apartments Plan Studied

The Morrisville Borough Council is considering a builder's plan for constructing a row of garden-type apartments in the borough.

Daniel Volk, of Yardley, has submitted plans to council for further study.

The plans were turned over to the borough's planning commission for the study and a recommendation is expected within a few weeks on the project.

### Site Selected

A site just inside the borough line on Lincoln Ave. has been selected as the tentative location of the garden apartments.

The section is located near the Grandview Estates development in the borough.

A building of two stories, the garden type apartment has proved successful in many areas of Lower Bucks.

Morrisville is at the present time also considering construction of a 14 - story apartment building as part of an overall expansion program.

Final decision on both projects may come at council's next session which is listed for August 13.

## Electricians Local Sought

Application for a charter for a Bucks County local for inside and outside journeymen electricians, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, has been sent to the unit's president, Gordon S. Freeman.

Peter J. McManus, 428 Chelsea Road, Fairless Hills, said, "There is doubt in the minds of many whether this will ever become a reality." There are factions, he said, which will, doubtless, fight the move "tooth and nail."

If the facts surrounding the movement for a Bucks County local are allowed to be aired before the public, Mr. McManus said, "there is little doubt in my mind that public opinion would not let any faction stand in the way of those men in this area from pursuing their trade with the freedom, which as tax payers and supporters of their Bucks County communities, they are entitled to do."

"It's surprising how many electrical workers must travel some 20-50 miles one way to work when they could be working within a very few miles of their homes," the Bucks electrician said. Bucks electricians now belong to either Trenton or Philadelphia locals and must work where assigned in those areas.

"There is work for all of us in this immediate area," Mr. McManus said, "it just job assignment was practiced by neighboring locals having jurisdiction over this area."

"Why should we have to help support a local from another state?"

Barton Ivins Family Vacations In Pocono

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Ivins, accompanied by their daughter, Patti and son, Bar-on Jr. of Yardley, are vacationing at Lenape Village, on Fairview Lake at Taffon Pike County in the Pocono Mountains.

The Ivins live at Makefield and Central Roads, Yardley.

## Heebner Sees OK On Service Station

George Heebner, owner of the Morrisville Shopping Center, said today he was confident he would finally get the go-ahead to rent a corner of the shopping center to the Socony Oil Company for a service station.

The Morrisville Shopping Center attempted to rent the land on Trenton and Pennsylvania Aves. for a service station to the oil company several months ago.

Zoning Specifications  
The deal was halted by a borough ordinance which prevented the leasing of the ground because it didn't fit certain zoning specifications.

Heebner claims the zoning amendment was made illegally and will "be thrown out of court, eventually."

The Shopping Center has filed a writ of mandamus against the borough secretary, Bob Steward, as zoning officer, to force him to allow for the service station.

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